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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted, which was mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on March 26, 2002, the response to which is due on or before May 26, 2002, the following are submitted herewith:

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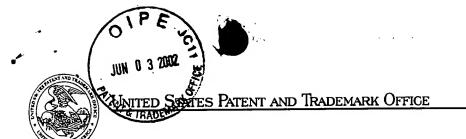
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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